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APPLICANT : Stephen F. Vatner et al.
SERIAL NO. : 10/683,576 EXAMINER : UNKNOWN
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FOR : MST1 MODULATION OF APOPTOSIS IN CARDIAC TISSUE AND
MODULATORS OF MST1 FOR TREATMENT AND PREVENTION
OF CARDIAC DISEASE

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PETITION FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48 (b)

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the above-identified Application be amended under 37 C.F.R. §1.48 (b) to name the correct inventors. The correct inventors are STEPHEN F. VATNER and JUNICHI SADOSHIMA. Applicants, therefore, respectfully request that the name of SHIMAKO YAMAMOTO be deleted as co-inventor of the above-identified Application.

The actual inventors of the invention claimed in the above-identified Application are

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Stephen F. Vatner and Junichi Sadoshima. Shimako Yamamoto was inadvertently and incorrectly named as an inventor on filing of the Application. Shimako Yamamoto was not involved in the conception of the present invention, but rather was under the control and supervision of the named inventors Stephen F. Vatner and Junichi Sadoshima and should not be properly named as an inventor. It has come to the attention of the undersigned that Shimako Yamamoto was named in error and unintentionally and that her name should be removed in order to properly name all and any inventors.

The present Petition is also accompanied by a check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the Petition Fee. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any deficiencies associated with this Petition or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1153. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed for such purpose.

Applicants respectfully request that the Petition be granted and that the name of Shimako Yamamoto be deleted as co-inventor be entered and that the present application be favorably accepted as complete in all parts and proceed to examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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